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WASTE MANAGEMENT PROJECTS

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<i>Mixed Waste Projects</i>		Initiated metal processing associated with Recycling Supplemental Environmental Projects 3/31/98
C Neutralization/Precipitation/Deactivation/Stabilization (NPDS) Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Treated 36 drums in March; total of 760 drums treated in project so far - Received approval from DOE-FEMP for contract extension to treat 500 additional drums of waste 	C Thorium Legacy Waste Stabilization Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continued legacy waste inventory characterization/profiling 	
C Organic Treatment Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Received responses to Commerce Business Daily (CBD) announcement seeking potential sources for treatment of tri-mixed wastes 	C RCI Solvent Extraction Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Completed Pre-Work Safety Assessment on 3/27/98 C Liquid Mixed Waste Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Completed characterization & sampling for Batch #8 (newly generated & recharacterized low level waste) - Continued ongoing evaluation of newly generated waste streams for bulking into Batches #9 & #10 	
<i>Nuclear Materials Disposition Projects</i>		
C T-Hopper Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Made "lessons learned" modifications to optimize system operability in early March - Restarted project 3/23/98 	C Nuclear Materials Disposition Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Shipped eight samples of various uranium-containing compounds off site for analysis in support of contract for sale of low enriched uranium materials 	

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<i>Mixed Waste Projects</i>		None
C NPDS Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue evaluating contents of storage tank in Plant 6 (contains approximately 2,000 gallons sodium hydroxide/sodium sulfide mixture) for addition to project 	C Thorium Legacy Waste Stabilization Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue staging repackaging efforts in Building 64, to support eventual shipment to Nevada Test Site 	
C Liquid Mixed Waste Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue evaluation of wastes & bulking of Batches #9 & #10; note that shipments are being accepted from Fernald for disposal at Toxic Substance Control Act Incinerator 	C RCI Solvent Extraction Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Begin Phase I decontamination & demobilization of subcontractor's equipment C Organic Treatment Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluate responses to CBD announcement; pre-qualify potential vendors - Issue Request for Proposal to qualified vendors 	
<i>Nuclear Materials Disposition Projects</i>		
C T-Hopper Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue repackaging operations - Moved to two-shift operations - Target of two T-Hoppers per day 	C Nuclear Materials Disposition Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Restart packaging of <1.0% uranium tetrafluoride - Finalizing evaluation of Thorium Overpack Container (TOC) boxes for use with nuclear materials - Ship Loss of Fluid Test (LOFT) fuel rods in support of transfer of materials for programmatic use within DOE complex 	

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PROJECT NEWS

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Ohio "Accelerated" Plan

-  **Ohio Field Office revised Draft Site Narratives; available on 3/2/98**
-  **Integrated Priority List for Fernald generated 3/18/98**




National "Accelerated" Cleanup Plan Review

-  **National cleanup strategy "Accelerated Cleanup: Paths to Closure" released for 60-day public comment period on 3/2/98**

PROJECT NEWS

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FY99 Replan Change Proposal

-  **Fluor Daniel Fernald supplied DOE-FEMP with FY99 change proposal on 12/15/97**
-  **DOE-FEMP review from 12/15/97 to 3/15/98**
-  **Currently being reviewed at DOE-HQ**